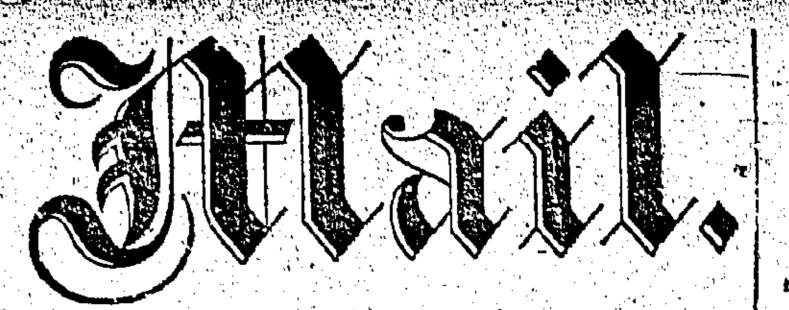




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So far as Piece Goods are concerned, the volume of business done, while not com paring with an average turnover in normal times, is gradually increasing and prices are getting firmer and better from a manufacturer's point of view., Merchants find more difficulty in buying at their own idea of prices and quite a number of makers are asking March and onwards for delivery. Naturally these people will not continue taking ruinous prices as they have been doing and together with the rise in Cotton prices, more money in many cases has to be paid. There is yet of course opportunity for placing advantageously for the buyers with those makers who have not booked any quantity but as these weaker people get filled up one by one as they are doing, higher prices for cloth will

have to be paid. India still continues to enquire freely and some fair lines have been put through Calcutta is the best market but Karachi still stands out prominently. Cables are more numerous and the dealers seem to give due consideration to the stituation. Buying for China is somewhat desultors yot various known makes are being secured on favourable terms. Egypt and South America provide very little demand while the New East is wiend letter. There

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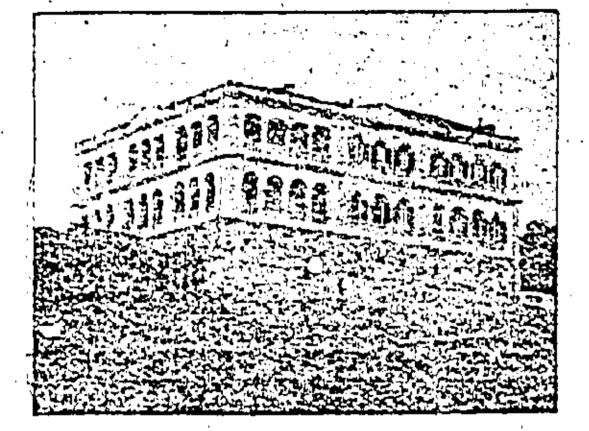
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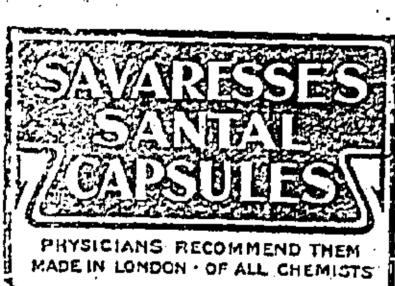
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tation to each soldier of the Pocket Testa- among the troops. He wrote: ment Luague edition of the Gospel of St. | "After a visit from Mr. Alexander and John, containing hymns, pictures and his party, the Lord manifested His prein the midst of a hymn and give them asked who would volunteer for the ser-

u clean Christian life. the Porket Testament League was ex- his hand and said: "I will, Sir," rule of their lives to carry a Testament the soldiers harried away to their lines. with them and to read at least one charter daily.

Special Textametits with waterproof covert, weighing only 21 conces, published by the Pocket Testament League Headquarters, 47, Paternoster Row, London, were offered to any soldier who wished to join. It was clearly stated however, that in order to secure Testument he must first zign a League Membership card; and then adam pledge in the Testament he received. A RUSH FOR TESTAMENTS. "

the promise and join the movement was astonishing. At one tent, when those who wished to become members were alternately watching for the enemy, and interally stormed the platform in their plateon leader had gone to visit a post engerness to join. At another tent over line that the battalion was to rotire. This minutes. At still another there was not to follow them, but remembered a French: night, so the nien were asked to present their membership cards, and secure the it, chancing a bullete. When I got books at the marquee counter the next into the trench I saw someone just lægan, and still continues.

A REMARKABLE BOUNE. ing scenes were witnessed as the soldiers Whilst doing this an omeer came age after I had told him what had happened he were asked not only to join the League, told me to get the men back, whilst we went but to yield their lives to God. One after some others. We all got back to the night over a thousand men were crowded trouch safely and waited. In the early into a tent. Over 800 joined the Pocket

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Testament League, and at the close of the cervice 102 soldiers in the presence of their comrades, rang out after the song leader the words "I accept Christ as my Saviour, my Lord and my King." The editor of a London journal who was present declared it was a sight he had rarely seen equalled.

Bishop Taylor-Smith, the Chaplain A removkable Bibliorevival is in pro- General of the Forces, when asked for gress emeng the soldiers quartered on a word of encouragement to the men Salisbury Plain and elsewhere. Already whose lives had been influenced, wrote: more than 10,000 of the troops on Salis- " My dear Mr. Alexander, I rejoice to bury Plain alone have joined the Pocket | hear of the blossing received on the Tertiment League, and have agreed to Plain. May you see greater things than carry a Testament with them and to read these because of Christ's position and a chapter dally, and over 5,000 have power. Give to the brethren from modeclared their acceptance of Christ and Hebrews XIII: 20, 21. Believe me, culisted under the banner of the King yours always, J. Taylor-Smith, Bp.

BIBLE REVIVAL SPREADS. when Charles M. Alexander, the well, The Bible revival on Salisbury Plain known Gospel song leader, accompanied did not end with the visit of Mr. Alexby two soloists, a planist, and a repre- under and his party. The movement sentalitye of the Pocket Testament Leas continued to spread among the men from gue, open five days travelling from one tent to tent, and the demand for Testa-

the beginning the meetings were a great, who has worked day and night in one of Success. The soldiers crowded into the the Y.M.C.A. marquees on the Plain as marquees, and when the tents, were an honorary worker enrolling soldiers in filled, they let down the sides and the the League, and leading them to a decimen stood outside during the service. | sion for God. -ent to the League Headquarters in London a letter giving a The meetings began with the present graphic account of the Bible revival

stories. Being the gospel as a hymn sence in a remarkable way. Thtil then book, Mr. Alexander led the men in sirg-there had been few decisions for Christ, ing appropriate hymns. The men quickly sometimes one and never more than two caught up the new choruses, such as a day. After the above mentioned visit "I am Included " and " Good-bye, God and the introduction of the Pocket Texta-Blow You." while they rang out lustily ment League, there came upon the solthe familiar strains of the "Glory Song" diers a great desire to hear the Word of and "Tell Mother I'll be There." Now God. As it was told out men were gripand then the famous song-leader called ped by the power of the Holy Chost and upon one of the soloists to sing a hymn hour after hour they came to the counter such as "My Mother's Prayer," or and with bowed heads confessed Christ. "Will the Circle be Unbroken "? Again On our, occasion a group of 30 were Mr. "Alexander would stop the soldiers listening to the Gospel when the speaker a straight talk on the manliness of living vice of, Christ. . Immediately a noncommissioned officer, about 6 Acet in At the opportune moment the idea of height, who was on the outside, put up plained, and the men were told how the same time pushing his way to the during the last six years the movement front. Within a few seconds 12 others had swept round the world, and hundreds icaned him. No sooner had these been of thousands of all classes from one end dealt with, and prayers offered, than anof the world to the other had been en- other group came forward. Thus it conrolled in the Leigue by making it the tinued until the last post sounded and

A DRUMMER'S BRAVERY

HOW THE V.C. WAS WON. of the Victoria Cross to Drummer Spencer the John Bent, 1st East Lancashire Regiment, for conspicuous gallantry near La Gheer on the night of November 1-2. Bent, who is now living with his uncle and aunt at Witnesham, near Ipswich, has since given to a representative of the "East Anglian The eagerness of the men to make Duily Times" an secount of one of the honour. He describes it as follows: We were as usual taking our hour turns

asked to come forward, the soldiers had no officer in our treuch, and my 300 soldiers were enrolled in a few was being done when I woke up. I st rted time to give out the Testaments that trumpet which I had found, and had carried with me for some time. I did not Early the following morning a coming round the corner. Thinking it was stream of soldiers asking for Testaments a German, I waited for him till he had crawled up to me, and them poked my rifle into him and asked him who he was. It was Sergt. Waller, who told me that it During the closing days of the meet was a wrong order. I at once jumped out ings conducted by Mr. Alexander theill. of the trench and ordered the men back.

> ON'T Forger after the Ehow, Supper, I and Light Holmshment. ALEXANDRA CAFE. Den Till Midnight.

morning the Germans evidently thought. we had left the transhes, for after a bombardment they attacked. The Germana came on doing a sort of goose step. Our officers kept our fire back, and in the meantime Licut. Dyer brought up a machine gun. When the Germans were shout 400 yards off, the order was given to Bouton Rouge are, and the Gormona went down in bundreds, very few getting safely back to their own trenshes.

On the following morning, after we had had breakfast, Private McNulty went out of the trench, and on returning was hit in the pit of the stomach. He fell, and the Germans were trying to his him sgain; you could see the ear h flying up all round him. I said. "Why doesn't someone go and help him!" and got the reply, 'Why re' go vourself." I went, and to make it difficult for the Germans to hit me I zig-zacgel to him. They did not snipe at me whilst I was advancing, but as soon as I got hold of McNulty's shoulder something seemed to take my foot from under me, and I slipped under McNulty. This, took place close to the walls of a ruined convent, and just as I fell several hullets struck the wall sending a piece of plaster against my left eye. I thought I was wounded, and started to rub the blood away, as I thought, but fortunately the skin was only grazed. I felt it was time to get out of it, and knowing it was impossible to stand up, I hooked my test nuder McNulty's arms, and usi my elbows I managed to drag myself and him back to the trunches about twenty-five yards away. When I got him there safe'y I went for a doctor and stretcher beaters.
As, far as I know he is still alive; at any rate he was the last time I heard of him. Un

SMUGGLING A GERMAN.

London, Dec. 13.-The Customs officials of Gravesend have exized a huge box from a liner bound for Botterdam. When the box was opened, a German officer stepped out, and the box was found to contain a bed, food, and comforts, The German is believed to have escaped internment at the Dorchester aliens' encapment with the aid of spies. Further details show that some sentries

who were superintending the departure from Gravesend of deported Germans over the military age from the Dorchester encompanent report that the porters found that the easiest way to handle a packingcase was to roll it over and over along the deck of the ferry boat. These procoolings divelesed that the ease had an occupant-one Otto Kochn. One of the arm rests fitted in the sides was broken, while Koehn's head was forced against the lid, with the result that he was partly come . The case was then sufficiently burst open to give a glimpse of an arm, and the sailors shouted; Man in the box!! Koehn was then released, after having done w 15 hours journey in the box. He told an alien emigration oeffier that he was a German lieutement, and was recently in America. He returned shortly before the war broke out, and was arrested later at Southampton and interned. There are indications that his escape was plotted in the canteen which had beer allotted to the aliens. at Dorchester. The packing case was addressed * Rotterdim."

-DERELICT'S LIFT.

Hussar's Story of Ride with Prince of

On a recente journey, says a Special orrespondent in North France, I fell in with the British " dereliat" soldier who, as reported at the time, was picked up by the Prince of Woles in a motor-car at Hazebrouck, and taken to the British Headquarters. The "derelict." a strap ping trooper of the 20th, Hussars, was 1915 (both days" includive) during which with some comrades on a train at Hazebrough when a cooking stove which had been fed with pewol in the absence of methylated spirits burst into flame.

The Hussar hurriedly kicked it out on to the line and jumped out to get it as soorans the petrol should have burnt itself out. Meanwhile the train started, but the Hussar, still waiting for his stove. let it get too nuch way on before realising that the store must be abandoned. There being nothing for it but a tramp to his Eductination, he started along the read. Hearing a motor-car behind him, he resolved to stop it and beg for a lift. He stepped into the middle of the road The supplement to the "London and signalled the car to stop. It obeyed. Gazette," recently announced the award. The occupants, besides the shauffeur. The occupants, besides the chauffeur. were a very young officer and a General.

Somewhat taken aback, although he did not recognise the Prince of Wales in the younger officer, he told his tale. Tho younger officer laughed heartily at the story, made the dereliet climb in, and gave him his own raincent to wear for as headquarters to shield him from the wind .- Daily News.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that November, 10 I got a bullet through the IV the TWENTY SEVENTH OR thish of my right leg, and had to be taken DINARY MEETING of SHARE HOLDSHS in the Company will be held at the Officer of Mesars, Jardine Matheson company, Limited, on TUESDAY the 2nd February, 1915 at 11.30 a.st., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Di ectors together with a statement of Accounts for the year ending Sist Decem-

ber, 1914. The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLUSED from FRIDAY. 22rd January to TUESDAY, 2nd February 1915 (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be Ita istored.

. By Urder of the Board of Directors. A. SHELTON HOOPER,

Secretary. THE HONGEONG LAND INVEST. MENT & AGENCY Co., LTD., General Agents for

The West Point Building Co., Ltd., Hongkong, Jan. 13, 1915.

THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST. MENT & AGENCY COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEISEBY GIVEN THAT the TWENTY SEVENTH ORDINARY MEETING OF SHARE-HULDERS in this COMPANY will be held at the Offices of Messra Jardine Matheson & Company Limited on-TUESDAY the 2nd February, 1915 at Noon for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors together with the statement of Accounts for the year ending 3 st December, 1914.

The REGISTER: of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, 22nd January to TUESDAY, 2nd February, 1915 (both days inclusive) during which period no Transfer of Shares can be

By Order of The Board of Directors. A. SHELTON HOOPER,

Secretary. Hongkong, Jan. 13, 1915.

THE HONGMONG CENTRAL ESTATE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FIRST ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHCALDERS in this COMPANY will be beld at the Offices of Messas.

JARDINE MATHESON & COMPANY LID, on TUESDAY the 2nd February, 1915 at 11.45 AM. for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors together with the statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December 1914.

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By Order of the Board of Directors. THE HONGKONG CENTRAL ESTATE LTD. . A. SHELTON HOUPER. Secretary to The General Managora.

THE HUNGKONG LAND RECLAMA. TION COMPANY LTD.

Hongkong, January 13, 1915,

MOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that IN the FOURTEENTH ORDINARY MELTING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Offices of Mesars. JARDINE, MATHESON & COMPANY LTD, on TUESDAY, 2nd February, 1915 at 12.15 Pm. for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors together with a statement of Accounts for the REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from TUES. DAY, 26th January to TUESDAY, 2nd February, 1915 (both days inclusive) during which period no Transfer of Shares can be

By Order of the Board of Directors, MOWERAY S. NORTHCOTE Secretary.

Hongkong, January 15, 1915. HONGKONG, CANTON & MACAO

STEAMBOAT CO. LTD. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

HE NINETY FIFTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF SHARE HOLDERS in the Company will be held atathe Office of the Company, Hotel Mansions, on TUESDAY, the 9th February, 1915, 12 o'clock noon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with s Statement of Accounts. declaring a Dividend and electing Directors

and Auditors. 68 - 4 The TRANSLER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 25th January to the 9th February, 1910, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Pourd of Directors, W. E. CLARKE.

Hongkope, January 19, 1915.

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WEDNESDAY,

the 27th January, 1915, at 2.30 p.m. at No. 5, Barrow Terrace, Granville Road, Kowloon,

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PUBLIC AUCTION.

MIRE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, (FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED),

THURSDAY,

the 28th January, 1915, at 11 s.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Vœux Road, Corner of Ice House Street,-A MISCELLANEOUS STOCK

Comprising :-A quantity of Silk Gauze, Alpacas, Velvets, Dress Materials, Singlets,

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Lengths Boots and Shoes, Toilet Soap, Perfume, etc., etc. TERMS :- As usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers.

Hongkong, Jan. 25, 1915.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instruct tions to Sell by Public Auction,

FRIDAY.

the 29th January, 1915, commencing at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Vonz Road, Corner of Ice House Street,-

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(Full Particulars from Catalogue.) Terms:-As usual, HUGHES & HOUGH,

Auctioneers. Hongkong, Jan. 25, 1915.

PUBLIC AUCTION

FOHE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction. (FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED).

FRIDAY.

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desolation.

ATTACK ON SCAR-

BOROUGH.

Seamonorch, Dec. 16.

about 200 other residents were injured.

that fell into the town varies from sixty

to 100. There was not one that did not

find a mark within the area that lies be-

Where so many people were directly

the tragic story is unfolded in all its de-

effect of the shock has passed, will tell

from bursting shells or falling walls

FROM OUT THE FOG!

foundations and sent "me flying to the

window of my bed-room. There was a

mist over the sea. Nothing was visible

on the hidden face of the waters. Then,

succession, and then-boom, boom,

boom!-three reports that merged into

one deafening sound and died away like

Coming thus, without any warning, is

was impossible to realise that the incre-

warships were within range of the Eng

lish coast and were raking an undefended

seaside town with shell. It was too

sudden, two casual. You felt, somehow,

that a blast of trumpets, a summons to

arms, should have heralded this approach

But in far less time than it takes to

set on record, there was evidence that

this was the "real thing." For each

heard, is never forgotten-the indescrib

able note-half shrick, half whistle-of

the messengers of death from the can-

non's mouth. They split the air over-

head and whined away into the town

SHELLS IN ALL DIRECTIONS.

fog that shrouded the menacing ship.

This time the death whistles were shriller

and less sustained. They were cut

town was being bombarded had, come

upon the folk of Scarborough. In the

street below wondering men and affrighted

drawn by curiosity to the scalront and

the latter in distracted search for shelter.

The shells were coming in appalling

numbers. Evidently two ships at least

were engaged, for whilst many projec-

tiles crashed into the buildings and

streets bordering the sea, others were

hurtling overhead into the districts be-

Crossing to the Grand Hotel, I tried to

gave the exact direction. Whilst I looked

there was a slight lifting of the veil, and

Could see the outline of what appeared

64 | women were running about, the former

Three more flames flashed from the

behind-the first half-dozen shells.

pane in the window.

of the enemy to our very gates.

a roll of thunder.

tween Castle Hill and Oliver's Mount.

muny of them seriously.

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AUCTIONS.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instruc- as I gazed, three sparts of flame stab-L tions from CAPTAIN STEWART, to sell bed through the curtain of fog in quick by Public Auction.

SATURDAY, the roth January, 1915 at II a.m., at

"Regate" Austin Road, Kowloon. THE SUNDEY VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD dible had really happened, that German

FURNITURE. therein contained. Including Bedroom Suite, Gent.'s Wardrobes, &c. (New). (Full Particulars from Catalogue.)

On view days of sale. Terms :- A usual. HUGHES & HOUGH,

Auctioneers. 85 | rear was followed by a sound that, once Hongkong, Jan. 25, 1915.

PUBLIC AUGITION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to sell by Public Auction. (FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED)

SATURDAY, the 30th January, 1915, at 2.30 p.m., at

No 1, Fair View, Nathan Road, Kowloon,

SUNDEY

two large Pigeon Houses. (Full Particulars from Catalogue.) On view from Friday alternoon.

TERES :- As usual HUGHES & HOUGH, Anchiomeers.

Hongkong, Jan. 25, 1915,

Surgeon Dentist.

No. 14. D'AGUILAR SIBRET TERMS VERY MODERATE

to be a destroyer. Sho was only about THE ALEXANDRA UAFE Cannot be a mile and a half from the shore, a little to the north of the Castle Hill, and Boaten. If Bouslad, For Brase Onkos. Or nicolingery Monia with Wines .



Out AMERIT mered PILLS, which is a carrain auto for find Loga, Potential Hands, Clearated Joints, Housemand's Knon, Carbinnaist State and Insect Biles, Acc., As Brailish Poles, 11h and

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as she moved. Further seaward was an DETAILS OF THE NAVAL other and apparently larger vessel, probably a cruiser, also firing.

RAIN OF PROJECTILES.

burdment continued without commation, well as the walls facing south. WOMEN AND CHILDREN KILLED. One shell pitched into the middle of St. Nicholas-square. It exploded, and frag. Saints' Church, situated in Falegrovements circled out, one falling almost at road, and the west window was blown For half an hour this morning Scar- my feet where I was standing in the out. St. Martin's Church in the fashion-

becough was bombarded by German war- porch of the hotel. ship. All that is contained sin that bentally plain statement of fact only roots of houses opposite, and showers of Church on the South Cliff was damaged. these who passed through the ordeal bricks and broken glass crashed into the The sacristan of All Saints' Church, who By special appointment to the ROYAL DANISH COURT. it would destroy. In that brief space of meter, and left no other trace of its bricks, mortar, and other debris. . " .It is impossible, at the hour of writing Ir had pierced two walls before finishing down. this despatch, to ascertain the exact roll its course, and in three rooms every! In the main thoroughfares of Westof the killed and wounded, but I know picture and ernament had fallen from its borough. Newborough, and Eastborough that at least fourteen people-men, wemen, and children-lost their lives, and

an inch deep. in their course, steamed a little way to meet the view on every hard,

concerned many days must clapse before the other visitors had taken refuge in the servirely. There are three large holes in cellar. They had endured an ordeal as the front of the building, and both towers | tails. There are those who, when the first nerve-trying as could possibly be. The lare badly knocked about, Prince of Wales houses on each side had been hit. Hotel has suffered damage in the front. of how they saw men and women blown Coupled with the concussions of the burst. A portion of it faces the are on the South into eternity in a second, and there are ing shells was the ever-present fear that Cliff, and, like the Grand Hotel, it is others who will relate miraculous escapes their own refuge would collapse about an outstanding feature. Other hotels My own experiences and what I heard

All the destruction done was wrecked Private Hotel, and the Italiway Hotel and saw for myself are quite inadequate only set them down in the hope that upon buildings without the slightest on the Seamer-rend. they will convey something of its nature. PRICES \$3. \$2. \$1. Cartain 9.15 Searborough, at this time of the year, houses, churches with shot-pierced a shell went right through the roof. Forwhen its residents are, as it were, hiber- steeples, and hotels with great holes tunately in neither case did injury to 43 nating for the winter, is not a tiwn of gaping in their walls. Nearly every life result. early risers. Like the majority of its thoroughfare was littered with stones and population. I was sleeping when; at broken glass—there was hardly a house eight o'clock, I was awakened by a ter- in the town whose windows were not broken by the terrific concussions. rific rour that shook the hotel to its

INNOCENT VICTIMS.

maimed for life. At ten o'clock I visited the mortuary, and did other damage. and found that already eight bodies had . Telephone wires are down, and telebeen brought there to await identifica- phonic communication is at the time of

tion. Among them were the remains writing completely suspended. of two elderly ladies, and of a mother and two children who had been killed! instantly by a shell that burst in a house central police office, and the motor firein Wykeham.

trative of the way in which death came shells dropped near the town gasworks unawares was at the South Cliff. A without doing any damage, although a postman called with the morning letters farmhouse near by was destroyed.

of Prospect-road, was actually struck by were heard almost simultaneously. a shell. She was standing in a grocer's shop, when the projectile crashed through the roof, hit her, and exploding, brought down a great portion of the premises upon her lifeless body.

Only a dozen yards to my left I saw a Mife war. Mr. John Hall, a former mem- unfortunately been a considerable amount plished. tolumn of black smoke leap upwards. Feer of the Town Council, and head of o of damage to our town, the really grice by the newspapers of neutral countries for significance, in the course of his speech It came from the glass-fronted outside well-known film of architects. He was vous feature is that lives have been lost. having bombarded unfortified towns saying that the reason why all Enrepe is including a number of Pots of Plants and cafe of the Grand Hotel. Through its standing outside his house, when a burst. With the relatives of the people who Germany publicists take refuge in the against Germany will be found in any roof a shell had fallen, shattering every ing shell blew off an arm and a leg—in- have suffered I desire, on behalf of their teas the Hamburgar Rachrichtan? juries to which he succumbed a few minutes after removal to the hospital. By now the dire realisation that their FLEEING INLAND.

Whilst the bombardment was at its height there were scenes that must have brought home to those who had never witnessed their like scanething of what these past three months have meant for Belgium. I almost thought that I was back in that unhappy country, when I Easy hundreds of people streaming along the streets and making inland. There was not a panie. But a very large number of women and a good many men, obeying the first instinct, sought to occupe by getting as far from the coast as possipierce the mist. The finshes of the guns

Though they did not, perhaps, realise it. their danger was almost us great as that had remained in their houses.

Tion a good bolld meet a la Clark or Steaming slowly derose the boy towards Handson Table, Table, The with Wines & Liqueon Filey Head, discharging salvocs of three, the heat, ALEX NATIRA OATE,

That having no collars, such as those in the hotels, in which to take roluge, the first sounds of the firing sporred them into the streets. Then, as the shells flow overhead, or brought houses, turnbling down in rules, the women, drogging their children with them, simply risched ,blindly ahead-anywhere laway

threatened them was coming. After the firing had consed hundreds of them continued their journey along the main road inland. In their wake were many more, who had stayed in their homes whilst the shells were falling, but, fearing, a renewal, fiel when the guns were husbert.

from the sea from which the death that

Again, exactly as in Belgium, their little homes deserted, carrying pathetic bundles of household treasures, they formal a mother procession-ratugues,

only English instead of the Belgians of whom we have heard so much: Frightened, crying children huddled together in earts and other vehicles, with their fathers and mothers trailing along by

CASTLE DADLY DAMAGED. Of the damage done by the bombardment, that most obvious to the eve was on the Castle-hill, where the old barracks

-fortunately unoccupied-have been For the next twenty minutes the bom- raped. The castle keep was also hit, as One shell fell through the roof of All lable residential part of the town was Then two others dropped through the struck twice. The spire of the Wesleyan

know. The emotions of a lifetime were road. Three seconds later another went was near the west window when the shell erowded into those thirty minutes when through a window of an adjoining hotel. | burst, had a miraculous escape; he came douth, winged and unsecen, sought whom It bored a clean hole about 7in in dia- out unseathed through a shower of flying time a benutiful seaside town was trans- advent on the exterior. Later I dis- In many places telegraph wires and formed into a place of bloodshed and covered it on the floor of an inside room, the wires connected with the working of where it had fallen but failed to explode, the electric struct trainways were broken

position, the debris littering the floors there are evidences of the bombardment I on every hand. The hotels, picture ev-For three minutes the bombardment, tablishments, sheps, and private dwellingceased. Then it began again, and lasted houses overlooking the South Bay have The estimate of the number of shells for another ten minutes. According to suffered most seriously, and gaping holes, some observers, the warships had turned broken windows, and reotless demiciles

the worth, and then made straight out | Towering up from the cliffs, the Grand Hotel, one of the most preminent land. Tele. 1612. marks on the East Coast, offered an easy Returning to my hotel I found that target for the hostile guns and suffered damaged are the Carlton Hotel. Ashley's

military value. Making a tour of the In Norwood-street the roof of the town, I found havor on every hand, dweiling-house No. 36 was completely There were whole streets of unroofed blown of, and at No. 3. Resconstreet

MOTHER AND CHILDREN KILLED.

Nowhere is the damage greater than in the locality near where the wireless station is situated. One shell completely wrecked a house situated in Wykeham-But, of course, the damage to pro- street, occupied by a Mr. Bennett. Mrs. perty in the towns, extensive as it is; Bennett and two children were killed. is a matter of insignificance, compared ()n the opposite side of the street with the fact that many innecent people situated the Gladstone-road Council were killed, under such horrible circum- schools. The same shell, apparently stances, and a large number of others that hit Mr. Bennett's residence also partly demolished the reof of the schools.

During the bornbuilment numerous notifications of fire were received at the engine was quickly despatched, but for-One of the cases most tragically illus- tunately none proved to be serious. Many be made on Scarborough."

at a house in the Avenue Victoria. Ho The guns were fired in threes, the was just handing them to the servant, detonations following rapidly upon one and whilst both were in the doorway a another. Then there would be a pause shell-probably the first to be fired-ex- of about three meends, and as the shells pladed between them. Both were killed, burst with a terrifying noise clouds of smoke indicated the spots where they Another victim, Mrs. Merryweather, had fallen. Occasionally six explosions

DRINGING IT HOME.

Soon eafter the bombardment had finished the Town Council held a special meeting, at which the Mayor said: home to us in a very vivid and actual Germany, one paper proudly affirming A well-known resident who lost his manner this morning. Whilst there has that "the impossible has been accom-

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fellow-residents, to express sincere sym- the question: "Why we are at war," and in the course of his speech he observed

"No doubt many people have bee terrified by their terrible experiences, but I wish to assure them that it is highly be admitted.

THE WAR AS SEEN IN

Excuses for the Scarborough Raid.

about the middle of December, containsome suggestive items as to the state of the public mind, particularly in reference herself. to the raid on the coast of England. The majority of the writers are unnimously of opinion that the raid constituted one of "The facts of the war have been brought the most important successes obtained by

> recently has been notably conspicuous in because they themselves are devoid of itattempts to be just in its judyments, says This envy in itse'f constitutes a victory that we must expect to see departures for Germany, who is destined to crusta from the ordinary principles of interna- the British and French bourgeo'se and

> the existence of Germany. It must never be forgotten, says this circle of " the battle to the strong." journal, that it is the duty of all to do as much damage to the enemy as possible. Professor Lange discusses at length the even to non combatants among the enemy. | right of German soldiers to acquire all counsel the German people of all classes field of operations, and he ut rea warning and in all positions to use every means at that the time may come when Germany their command for fighting the enemy. will have need of such supplies for the Those who cannot fight, must lose co manufacture of materials of war. N.O. opportunity of discrediting and casting Daily News. suspirion upon what, may be said or done by the enemy. They must enery the war into the realms of social intermourse, and produce strife and disaccord if any advaninge for their country is to be gained therefrom ; for this is not war in the ordinary.

existence. THE IDEALIZING OF WAR.

that the most notable characteristic of the German people in these days was its: idealization of war-which was frankly to

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"We find in war," said the esteemed professor, "the elements of the highest degree of culture." . Ho went on to show how Germany was unique in this conception of national well-being and progress, contrasting unfavourably the motives. inspiring Great Britain, France and Russia, who were at war only for the purpose of achieving such concrete aims an thoacquisition of new teritory, and the extenison of commerce. On the contrary, Germany is inspired by no such utilitarian aim. Germany is fighting because she has reached a wonderful moment in her

history, and it is essential that she should use every means, technical, material, and moral to overcome her enemies, withouttaking into account the material cost to Such a spirit of idealism is absolutely unknown to the "Britishor," said the

professor, the "Britisher" being merely & " buckster " MILITARISM THE MISUNDERSTOOD Maximilian Harden, the journalist, has As to represches cast upon Germany given a lecture on militarism and its

establish a new order of things on the prin-In the " Deutscher Juristische Zeitung In a similar vein, most of the newspapers | metals which come into their hands in the

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(To be continued in To-morrow's issue.)

GERMANY.

Germans newspapers to hand, published

tional law in this war, because it a war for Russian nihili-m and abnegation, and

some, but, again, a struggle for national

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DEATH.

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THE BUITISH NAVAL

VICTORY.

the North Sea early on Sunday morn-

ing make it clear that, notwithstand.

ing the German version of the affair,

with the exception perhaps of the

engagement off the Chillan coast, the

British Navy has," whenever the

apportunity presented itself, a royed

its superiority over the enemy. This

in itself should be a source of mucli-

satisfaction to us and an assurance

that the confidence we have always

tunity to play so conspicuous a part

as in olden times, particularly when

opposed to an unscrupulous foc. Our

many has proved its superiority on

every occasion when what might best

be termed a "straight fight" has taken

place. The Germans, however, have

that the constant presence of our

all sorts of craftiness, making use of

fog and mist to hide their movements

and setting aside all international

agreements regarding what is con-

us bombarding undefended towns like

Scarborough and Whitby. Whenever

conditions that gave our Fleet and

opportunity to deal with them, there

of our Fleet, not in numbers but in

skill. This last engagement seems

to have been as decisive as was

Sunday, as on the previous occasion,

British guns. They were not, how-

men. They were apparently bent on

another of their unscrupulous raids

on undefended English towns when

they were detected and, according to

the official report, they no sooner

discovered that they were caught

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MEMO. FOR TO-DAY.

5.30 p.m. - St. John's Cathedral Annual | British plack, dash and endurance on Meeting.

General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, January 28 :-Opening night of " The Grotesques ".

Eniday, January 29 :-2.30 p.m -- Auction of Furniture, gla

at Messis. Hughes and Hough SATURDAY, January 30 :--

31.30 a.m. - Distribution of prizes at the

Dioces va School. 3 p.m .- Garden Fete in the grounds of

the H.K. University. TURSDAY, Yel'run y. 2 :--

11.20 a.m. - West Point Co. Meeting. 11.45 A.m. - H.K. Central Meeting.

Noon .- H.K. Land Invest, and Agency -Co's. Meeting.

SUNDAY, February 7 :---Field Day for Voluntoers and Reserves.

Tozaday, February 9 :--Noon .- H.K. C. & M. Stenmbont Cos. Meeting.

SUNDAY, February 14 .-Chinese New Year Day, Entries close for the Races.

2 n.m.-Reserves v. Scouts on H.K. Cricket Club ground.

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maintain its superiority. In the German version it is stated that the British vessels "retreuted." To retreat before an enemy that is making for its own shores at "high speed," would not be likely to lend to the knocking out of a German dreadnought. It is not improbable that the chagrin which the-Germans evidently feel at the outcome of the ongagement vis chiefly caused by the fact that they failed to decay the British ships to a place where they neight have fallen an easy mark to submarines and mines. Tentonic simplicity is not always difficult to understand. The engagement is in every respect a matter of much satisfaction to the British and to all who wish well towards the Allies. It is another heavy blow at pan-Germanic pretensions and a further step towards its complete defeat,

> ALLEGED, MURDER AND KIDNAPPING.

Extradition Proceedings.

The Crown Solicitor, Mr. Hodgson, plugs of the total value of \$30, an application to Mr. Wazeland this afternoon for the extradition to China of Liu Ah Mui, late of Canton, who is accused of committing marder on Octo ber 10th, 1914, in the Pok Lo District

The murdered manes wife would tell them, said the Crown Solicitor, that on into their house and demanded tear The husband proceeded to make some tea and in the meantime the pricener, who was one of the gang, entered the house. A three attacked the deceased, stabled and that him, death occurring shortly afterwords. The robbers took away certainarticles and then proceeded to carry away The details now to hand of the the widow and her young child, a boy naval engagement that took place in The widow was quite a young girl and the through several villages, stopping letters or perceis, however, is not known. word nights on the way and ut. Tai-Sing Hah the little boy was sold by the the British Navy have once more robbers. Subsequently they took, train Tai Po and brought the women to

> pour for 20 days. She was then brought | w ck. back again to Hongkong and kept at the Tai Wan Village. The police were apmissil of the woman's predientient and drimately she was released and the prioner prested.

Detactive Inspector James Watt pro-Local the warrants of apprehension. In answer to Mr. Hazeland, the Inspecraid that the child had not been

had in our magnificent navy has been! in every respect entirely justified. The widow, a mere girl, was brought The novel nature of sea fighting in ! 'nto court' on the back of an aged relathese days of submarines, mines and Gvo, being unable to stand. She refterat Caho Crown Solicitor's opening statedreadnoughts, has doubtless been the ment. Her child, she mid, awas, nine cause of the comparative inaction of years old, and after she had wandered our fleet. The conditions to-day are with the robbers from village to village. very different from "those a when the child was sold and had not been seen since. She described how the men at tucked her husband, killing him when he the sea as on the land carried everywas in the act of making them tea. Each thing before us. The personal of the men were known at the house as element has to-day not the oppor

The case was adjourned.

THE COLONY'S HE/ LTH. Only Five Intectious Cases.

Last week's he lith report shows that tw Chinese in the city and one from the day seldom accepted the offer of battle trict di d from diphtherin while enterie accounted for the decease of another resinavy in the North Sea has held out dont outside Victo it A non-fatal case of small-pox was this only other no idention to it. Instead, they have resorted to he patient being in this case a Japanese.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER RESERVE.

sidered as uncivilized in warfare, such Orders by Major Wakeman, O.C.H.K.Y.R.

Nos. 1, 2 and 3 Companies will parade they shave, ventured forward under on the Clicket ground at 5.15 p.m. on Friday January 20th. D cas, Delit Order,

Lt Col. Moberly. D.S.O. will deliver had E. T. Matheson has been no question of the superiorty second lecture on "Strategy of the War" G. S. Thomas ... in the St. Andrew's Hall at 5.45 p.m. W. H. Stratton co January 27th. N.C.Os. in uniform may [O. C. Bench ... 114

the meeting in Heligoland Bight in Part R. age on Jan. 23rd, and who did not FATAL DIVING ACCIDENT AT the early weeks of the war, and, on complete the 5th and 6th practices on the following day should attend at 4.30 p.m. on one of the three following days: February the Germans showed considerable 2nd, 3rd or 4th. uniform optional. Memenxiety to get out of reach of the forming the Adjutant on which of these days they will attend.

ever, wholly successful, and as the result of their temerity they have lost pleased to make the following appoint one of the finest vessels of their fleet 2/Lt. E. Evan-Jones to be Lieutenant. together with some seven hundreds REVELSION.

> Corpl. H. J. Gellion reverts to Private at his own request. POSTINGS. Capt. S. Landale to No. 3 Company.

> Pte. Macfarlane to Coya 3 Sec. 3. Pto. L. R. Noedham to Coy. 3 Sec. 8. Pte. E. Howard to Coy. 3 Sec. 3. Pto. W. B. Lighthurn is transferred from Sec. 1 to Sec. 3 Coy. 3. 40m Pathans Sports.

At these sports, to be held on the defeat the British From what has U.S.I.O. Hockey ground on February happened, it is evident that our coasts hest turied on N.C.O. or private of his are being guarded vigilantly and that Volumeer Corps or Reserves (marching phenoling Conghistation of the phenoling phenoli

"STEAMBOAT" DIVIDEND.

Subject to sudit, the Directors of the Hongkong, Centon and Macao Steamboat Co., Ltd., will recommend the psyment from the Equalization Fund, of a floal dividend for 10 4 of 40 cents per share and the carrying forward of a debit balance of 812,6 14,27 to a new account:

NEWS CF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The London Daily Telegraph's Belgian Shilling Fund had amounted to £107,993.17 10 on December 23.

The first part of a detailed account of the German Naval attack on the Rast Coast of England on Dec. 16 will be found on

Mr. Asiatt. travelling Inspector on the Canton-Kowloon Railway, reports the theft from one of the conches of severa e'estric bulbs.

Mr. Click, of Meesrs, J. D. Humphreys and Sons, reports to the Police the theft from their effices of a number of brass sick

An Indian watchman employed on the Canton-Rowloon Railway, charged this morning with being drunk and disorderly, was ordered to pay a fine of \$5.

The work of refleating the three the dute mentioned two robbers broke German merchant steamers sunk by the Germans prior to the fall of Teingtao has been commerced. It was expected that the first of them, the Ellen Rickmers, would be raised yesterday.

Most of the mail on board the sa. Nile, wrecked in the Inland Sex, was landed at Moji. But one bag of mail from Hongkong to Japan is known to have been schbers, kidnapped her. They travelled I st who her the convects were ordinary

At the Magistracy this morning, the two n en charged in connection with the severely defeated the German Navy | tengkong. She was taken to Shanki- S turday night and with maliciously wounding two Chinese women and a was detained a priconic in the accused's Japanese were formally remanded for a

We have received from Mee Cheung two excellent photograp's of the S.M.S. Emden as, she lies on the Cocos, reef a imitered wreck. One view looking along the deck forward gives a vivid idea of the boats were concerned. The German havor c used by H.M.A.S. Sydney's fire, the for tered funnels and twisted iron work presenting a terrible scene of destruction.

Dr. Wa Ting Fang and Mr. Wang Wen tien, who are on their way to the Manila Carnival as representatives of the Association for the Preservation of Chinese Monuments with a number of exhibits, arrived yesterday from the morth by the Nippon Maru and left for the Philippines to-day. It is understood that they will also d'scharge-a pulitical mission, entrusted' them by the Minister fot Foreign Affiairs.

Privace Dewick, of the K.O. Y. L. I., who was well-known in Hongkong as the clever centre-half of the regiment's senior Soccor eleven, was wounded early in a European broker, and he did not think No ember. When the mail left England he was making good progress towards recovery, and hoped in a few days to be able to proceed to his home in Rotherham on short furlough! Dovick went home at the beginning of last year, and on the outbreak ofower was called up as a reservist to join the 2nd battalion of the K. O. Y. L. . "with whom he saw much heavy fighting up to the time of receiving his wound.

SPORTING.

Tungshan Golf Club, Canton.

The following is the final result of the monthly C meeti-ion for the Excelsior Cup presented by H. Beut Esq. in Jan., 1914. Gross, Handicap, Nett. Vivian Bogg

C. E. Watson... 2 914 K. Bagot'...

SINGAPORE.

A very and accident occurred on the 14th inst. afternoon at the Reclamation. works now in course of construction at the main Wharf, Tanjong Pagar, by Messra. Topham Jones and Railton Ltd. Mr. His Excellency the Governor has been Robinson, a European diver, was engaged in attending to the driving of same piles monts:-Lieut D. Landele to he Captain under water when his sirpipe became fouled. Another European diver working near wan sont at puce to his assistance and after the obstruction had been removed Mr. Robinson was immediately brought to the surface, where every effort to induce artificial respiration was resorted to, but without success. Mr. Robinson, was only 33 years of age and had many friends on the work and in Singapore by whom his untimoly end will be deeply regretted. The funeral takes place at Bidadari at 9.15. c'olock this morning.

DO YOU COUGH!

DETAINED BY GEEMANS. THE PRICE OF RELEASE.

To the Chief Justice and the Puisne Judge Asitting as the Full Court, Mr. Potter (who was instructed by Mr. Crew. of Messra, Hastings and Hastings) continued his address upon an application this morning for leave to proceed exparte in an action pending in the Original Jurisdiction of the Court, in which the defendants are an alien enemy firm resi-

dent and registered in Germany. The application was unopposed. Plaintiffs, on behalf of whom it was made issued a writ against the Flensburger Damppscheffart Gosselschaft von 1809. elaining: (1) the return of a sum of \$14,000 paid by the plaintiffs to Messrs. Deacon, Looker Deacon and Harston on behalf of the defendants to obtain the release of 1,168 bags of sugar, the pro- of Edinburgh Academy, winning the perty of the plaintiffs, and then on board, this defendants' steamship Sexta in the port of Swatow, which sugar the defendants wrongfully refused to deliver to the the war. In letters he referred to his plaintiff; or their order; (2) a declara- | achievement as "a bit of a scrap," tion that the defendants were not antitled to a lien upon the said sugar for the payment of any sum alleged to be due to them under a time charter party entered into between the defendants and the Man Sang Co.; (8) damages for the wrongful detention of the augur.

rules of the Hongkong Code in regard to foreign corporations carrying on business through agents within the jurisdiction differ from the English rules and that the agents of a foreign corporation carrying on its husiness in Hongkong can be served with a writ on behalf of the cov

At the outset the Chief Justice said statement had been attributed to him which conveyed a different meaning to what he had intended in relation to the laws of England and the laws of Hong

What I said in effect, his Lordshir continued, was that I have frequently had contentions with Sir Francis Piggott on the subject and had often lamented that the laws of England were not considered good enough for Hongkong. Mr. Potter, continuing his address.

quoted" Mr. Justice Buckley, who said the supreme test the work or business done by agent the corporation's business his own personal business and did work or part of it which was being done come within the jurisdiction? being the test he thought he would be able to satisfy their Lordships that the company, through their agents, Messrs, Siemsen, did perform a most material Colony and not only in the Colony but company's business in the Far East was can get double the business from confined to two ships which were operated in Eastern waters solely on charter, l'and he was willing to assume the corthe point that Mesers. Siemsen were not abla to finally fix a charter without reference to the company in Germany. But he would be uble to prove that Messrs. Siemsen did everything here but broker went to Messrs. Siemsen to ar range terms and what the charter should

can very well take that. Mr. Potter said he could put this in evidence in the form of an affidavit from their Lordships would put him out of court without allowing him to file this

The Puisne Judge observed that Mr. Potter's submission could be more or less gathered from the correspondence but he

Siemsen's action in arranging charters right up to the point when they were signed must be the action of an agent doing the corporation's business, as distiuct from his own. Siemsen's netid throughout as the corporation would act if it were in Hongkong. They were able! in addition to this to hold up the cargo and refuse delivery; and they were able to hold up the ship at Swatow. for Siensens carried out the charter and 90 enforced the performance of all its clauses. According to the correspondence of the Swatow agents Mesers. Siemsen had power to settle the whole 100 dispute. Ho put his case so high as Hongkong. Their Lordships reserved their decision

THE LOSS OF THE "YORCK." Senior Officers Court-Marialled.

London, December 28:- A German paper states that the Captain and Commander of the cruiser "Yorck." which was sunk by a mine, have been court-martialled and imprisoned in a fortress.

DIVERY young on A is susceptible to disease attacks your little one before you Ohamberlain's Court Remedy the next scription from the Mayoress of Lollpropers for it. It comes in the high when time you have a cough or cold. There is The Mayoress of Zetland U is a souls

SCOTTISH LETTER.

EDINBURGH, December 17.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

ANOTHER V. C. FOR EDINAUEGH. The historic traditions of the Scottis! capital are being worthily maintained on the battledelds of France. A few days ago a private soldier brought honour to himself, his regiment, and the city by an exploit which secured the Victoria Orosa and now there comes the news that the valour, of another son of the City of Edinburgh—on this accasion an officer—has also owon the supreme honour of the soldier. There are interesting points of similarity between the two cases, for in addition to claiming the same birthplace, Captain Brodie and Private Wilson belong to the same regiment, -the Highland Light Infantry, and each won his distinction under circumstances associated with machine gun action. Captain Brodie is the second son of Mr. John Wilson Brodie, C.A., Edinburgh, and is an "old boy eventh V. C. for that famous educational institution. He was home for few days furlough, lately, but he was little disposed to speak of the incidents of jokingly asked his family to "prepare ! a shock," as he had been recommended for decoration. .. It appears that on the night of November 11, Captain Brodie, who was in charge of a machine gun section, moved up to the trenches to relieve a unit of an other regiment. When darkness fell, and the men on guard had been posted at the guns, the others prepared to take what Mr. Potter's contention is that the rest they could. Usptain Brodie and several men were in one line of a trench which formed an angle, and all was quiet until the alarm was given that the enemy were making a rush along the other line of the trench, no doubt with a view to seizing the machine gun. Captain Brodle led his men along the trench, the opposing forces met, and the Germans were complutely routed. Captain Brodie bayonetted several poration though they cannot be sued on of the enemy, and altogether 80 were killed and 51 taken prisoners.

GRREAT PIRMS IN CHINA

Mr. W. J. Warmsley writes from Tien. win, China, to the "Glasgow Herald" :-Frum Reuter's telegrams and home newspripers we read from time to time of the great effort being made by Engl sh manufacturers to capture a good portion of the trade, both home and expo : that has been done formerly by Germ-ny. In justice to V Shields Athletic 1 South Shields ... 3 British merchants established in Chins, on Glossop 3 Coventry City whom British manufacturers in England Swames Town ... 1 Leicester K. me... 0 are more or less dependent for the develop- Rochlale 2 Watford...... 0 ment of their export trade in the East, I Nottie glam Forest Shrowsbury Town I consider certain facts should be brought o the notice of these manufacturers.

.I do not think it is generally known that. the agencies for a number of british AMERICAN PRESS DECLARATION. manufacturers are held in China by German the firms, jucluding one at least of our premier bactleship and armament yards. There are other directions manufacturing acencies which I could mention, and in addition quite a bumber of ficst-class British surance companies are represented in Chin. by German firms. In a free c untry like ours minufacturers companies, and firms can place their ago cies where and with whom they please; at the same time would like to know one instance in China his them." part of the corporation's business in the of a Ge man firm o company represented

by an English fiem. The writer has heard it said by firms and shippers at home that British firms in the influence and advice of Germany, the East are not pushing enough, and that they Sultan has merely given Muhammadans German connections; this may or may no be the case, but who have we to thank the ro ten condition of the trade in China. a p cant but the Germin firms? Britis! rectness of Mesors. Deacon's letter on him-are more cautious and well not do busimess on the same lines as the Germans, who seem to offer credit and all sorts of facilities to the Chinese in order to get their business, and as the Chinese are only too ready to gamble at some one else's expense the Germana get the busi ess, but how the netual signing of the charter; the much of this business is a tisfactory and remuserative we merchants out here know British merchants in Chica can do just as will for manufactuers and insurance co upanies as German firms, and as an ac The Puisne Judge: I don't thin, we of reciprocity I trust this war will bring atout changes in favour of "a British

merchant in China! DR'B KILTS IN THE WAR. The Army Council have issued an o der to Territorial Force Associations, in which it is stated; owing to the difficulty of obtrining material for kills of the authorised regimental tartans, together with the absence of facilities for making up these ga: ments of the several regimental patterns in sufficient quantities to meet the de mands of the increased number of battathought Mr. Potter had better put it on llous of Highland regiments, it has been decided to adopt a universal pattern kild Mr. Potter submitted that Messry. drab serge for use during the war. will do away, of course, with the khaki apron. As the result of experience in the field, anklo boots and putties will" substituted for a oca and gaiters. Hose tope will be retained, : they are, however to be of drab colour, and made long en nigh to admit of being pulled up to cover the

knee should occision require.

THE KAISER'S MULIANIMADAS JIEAR. Sir Andrew Fraser, formerly Lieutonant Governor of Bengal, writes to the Scottielt are tilleted bear such notices as Better unwerapers on the Kaiser's Muhammadan] quarrel wi the Deri than wi the bairns owner himself could not do any more, Jihad, It has failed, he sayer as far as our o' Falkirk, and When you feel down in Indian E pire is concerned, becau o of the month, this k of Jonah, he came out ladica experience of our rale. - But it was [all right." As a result of the invasion. also bound to fall everywhere except Scottish materials are in high favour among the most growly ignorant Moslome, mong the fair a. x. I be children are For, while a libad is legit-mate against decked in plaid frock, and some sport idolators, it is not so against Children glengarries, while a favourite blouse af the Book," except in defence of ornament is a wee sportan. 108 say that if the agents here had power in any case, a Jihad against unbelievers to sign the charter the whole of their cannot be waged with the sid of infidels. Those who had some difficulty in recall business would have been conducted in Moslems, according to the Kuran, may, ing where the Falkland Islands were when under circumstances, wage holy war for the they read in the newspapers of the mayar propagation of their faith; but they cannot batt's and the defeat of the Germans, may enter into an alliance with unbelievers for have been helped by the vecollection of that purpose. That would be no "Holy one of Inn Maclaren's stories, After a War. There was always a chance that disaster to an emigrant ship, some of the the proclamation by the Sultan may have survivore reached the Islands, and when caused some trouble, for the ignorant and the news reached bome, the minister of a fanatical of any creed may suddenly be Scottish church to which several of the Raiser seems to have hoped. His doore Lord, we pray Thee to be with our brethren has been baulked houses of the character stranded on the Balkland Islands, which, and reputation of British rule in India, and us Thou knowest, are structed in the South because of the prompu and loyal utterances | American Occan." o bluhammadan princes and leaders. These mon have well served their King and country, and their service demands warmost recognition. I believe, is Sir Androw's conclusion, that in yielding to the ovil. He counct get away from the idea of

STRAIGHT AT IT.

HOME FOOTBALL.

(From the "Daily Telegraph" of Doc. 21.)

ASSOCIATION LEAGUE RESULTS.

DIAMSION I Bradford City 5 W. Bromwich & .. . 0 (Last season : Bradford C. won, 1--0.) Burnley 2 Shelled Wednes. 3 (Link season : Burnley won, 3-0.) Liverpool I Clidham Athletic. .. 2 (Can't sensou: Oldbeim wan; ti-el.) Munchester City ... 2 Brad ard (Last season: Ner match.) Middlesbrough ... I Blackburn Rovers 4. owcastle United 1 Notts County 1 (Last season't No match). Aston Villa 3 Manchester United 3 (Last senson; Aston won, 3-1.) Cholses 9 Everton (Last somon : Chabins won, 2-0.) Tottonham U. Sunderland

Sheffield United. 2 Bolton Wanderers J (Last seeman : Sheffield won, 1-0.) Blackpool..... 2 Fulham (Last senson : A draw, 1-1) Huddersfield S Grimsby Town 1
(Last season: Orimsby won, 2-1.)
Preston North End 1 Derby Country ... 5 (Last weason | No match.) Barneley 2 Leeds City LAST SCREEN TABLE WOR. 4-1]

Bristol City 2 Birmingham 3 (Last season: Birmingham won, 2-L) Wolverhampton W 4 Stockport County (Last honson : W verb'ton W. won, 3-1.)

Southern League. rystal Palace 2 Queen's Park R. 2 (Last senson : Crystal Palace won, 2-1.) ardiff City 5 Northampton ... 0 Cast season : A draw, 0-0; Exeter City 1 Southampton..... 9 (Last squeon : Expler City work, 2-0.) Gillingham 0 Plymouth Argyle 9 Clast senson: Gillingham won, 4-0.)
Southend United... 0 Millwall Ath. ... 0 (Last season: Millwall won, 3-11) Norwich City ti West Ham United 0

F.A. Challenge Cup.

(Last season: Norwich City won, 1-0.)

DEUCH DESTRUCTION HOUSE Goole Town..... 2. Chasterfield Town.... Lincoln City 6 Rotherham County U Luton Town 5 Promley Oroydon Common '4 Barnet and Alston O Eccles Borough ... 2 Merthyr Town Lon. Caledonians O Darlington 1 Bristol"Rovers ... 3 Boscombe 0

New York. December 16-Tre "New York Times " publishes a scathing article, and declares that "Germany is doomed to sure defeat, for the is bankrupt in statesmanship and overmetched in arms, and she is under moral condemnation of the civilia ed world The German people should recognise that the incompetence, failure and overthrow of the Kainer's advisors will

in India an opportunity of expressing their loyalty to the British Government, and has compelled educated and enlightened. Muhammadana everywhere to indicate frankly, what has long been their growing conviction, that the head of the Ottoman Government cannot be accepted as the authoritative exponent of the Islamic faith.

SCOTTISH LADY DOCTORS FOR SERBIA. Several Scottish lady doctors and nurses are included in the second contingent of the Women's Hospital of the National Union of Women's Suffrage Societies which has just left for Serbia: Someweeks ago a unit left for France, where the ladies have been doing excellent work. Among the nurses is Miss Fraser, who is one of the best-known Scottish lady golfers, having played in the ladies' semi fina's and in the final for the Scottish Ladies Upen Championship. Dr. Holloway will act as senior we man surgeon. and Miss Macdougal, of the Bruntsfield Hospital. Edinburgh, as X-ray expert. This Serbian contingent is composed solely of ladies, with the exception of Mr. W Smith, a well known Scottish artist, and

Mr. Canfield, an expert mechanic. SCOTS AT BEDFORD.

Long after these troublous times are past the Scottish Territorials will have ilenty of pleasant memories of their Rojourn at Bedford, says the "Daily ews." From the beginning of August the Highland Division quartered in the town have been on the bestlerms with the inhabitants, all of whom appear to vie with each other in their endeavours to please the visitors. Certainly the Scots have given the lie to the idea that their untion has no sense if hunfour. They are fullerf it. The fronts of many of the unformished houses in which the troops

A LESON IN GEOGRAPHY.

"MAYORRES" FOR SCOTLAND. Scottian civic nomenclature forms a sad stumbling block to the average Londoner. Mayors and Meyoressor. The gentleman who compiles the list of subscriptions to Princess Mary's Bund, for instance, is hopolessly at sea in this matter. The other day he told us of a donation from the THERE is no usu of our "heating around" Lady Provost of Glasgow, a few cay the bush. We might as well out later one from the Mayoress of Zetiand, Lady Provost of Glasgow, a few cays Croup. Don't wait until this dreadful with it first as last. We want you to try and mow there is recorded a Louisub Perhaps it of the eife of the Provest of Lorwing who has been award to this discy empered in The stoy mare may be the best set in a plan where a our she is not slowed to share, any of it

tatular distinctions of her apouse.

TELEGRAPH.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

PROGRESS THE

DETACHMENT BAVARIANS CAPTURED IN LORRAINE.

BRITISH NAVAL VICTORY.

THE GERMAN VERSION.

RIFLE FIRING AT THE FRENCH FRONT.

A DETACHMENT OF BAYARIANS CAPTURED.

Losnos, Jan. 25, 5,19 p.m.

A communique from Lorraine states that we surprised and captured a detachment of Bavarians at Embermenil. There is thick fog on the Vosges and in Alsace.

THE BRITISH NAVAL VICTORY.

SLIGHT BRITISH CASUALTIES.

London, Jan. No British ship was lost and the casualties among the personnel at present reported are slight.

.H.M.S. Lion, which led the line, had only eleven men wounded and none into the arms of the Triple Entents." There were 123 men of the Elucher rescued out- of 885. Possibly more

No reports of any destroyer or light cruiser fighting have yet been received, though some fighting has apparently taken place.

London, Jan. 25, 12.40 p.m. A telegram from Amsterdam says that the German official account of the engagement states that during an advance in the North Sea the "Sedlitz," "Derflinger," "Moltke" and "Blucher," accompanied by four small cruisers and two flotillas of destroyers, our squadron became engaged with a British Force of five battle cruisers, several small cruisers. and twenty-six destroyers. The British broke off the engagement after a three hours' fight seventy miles N.W.W.-off Heligoland and retreated. According to the information available one British battle cruiser and,

on our side, the "Blucher," were sunk. All the other German vessels returned to the port. In connection with the German version, it is noteworthy that the British Admiralty announces that all the British battle cruisers are safe.

THE STRUGGLE IN FRANCE AND BELGIUM

LONDON, Jan. 25, 2.5 a.m. A communique issuell to-night in Paris says :--

There was a sharp fusillade near Chateau Harintag, but there were no infantry attacks. Some shells were fired into Arras. There was a fusillade north of Arras, and the enemy fired numerous

The Germans violently bombarded the district north of Zillebeke.

bombs into the La Boiselle region in Albert, but our artillery compelled him to cease fire.

There was rather a sharp fusillade in the direction of Cernay. The fighting in the region of Four de Paris in Argonne is ended. We maintained all our positions except for fifty metres of a trench which was

demolished by the enemy's heavy bombs. The struggle in Alsace continued to-day in the regions of Uffholz and Hartmanns Weilerkopf, where we are close to the enemy's wire entanglements. No news of the fighting has yet been received.

GERMAN AEROPLANES OVER DUNKIRK.

A French Government telegram states that numerous German aeroplanes flew over Dunkirk, dropping bombs. They were pursued by Allies aeroplanes. The Albatross was hit in its motor, and two aviators were taken prisoners.

LIVELY RIFLE FIRING.

London, Jan. 25, 5.10 p.m. A Paris communique states :- We progressed slightly to the east of St.

Georges At the rest of the front intermittent gun-firing took place from the Lys to the Oise.

The enemy counter-attacked at Berry-au-Bac and was repulsed, the trenches in dispute remaining in our possession. We demolished several of the German works and shelters at Cham-

Very lively rifle firing at Bois de Lagrurie was checked by our artillery and we completed the destruction of the bridges at St. Mihiel.

THE AUSTRIANS AGAIN REPULSED.

London, Jan. 25, 3.40 a.m.

A Petrograd official communique says :-On the right bank of the Vistula there were unimportant engagements on the 22rd inst, from Radzanovo to the Vistula in the region of Borlimoff and Goumine, where a German attack was repulsed with loss. An attempted Austrian advance in the region of Jasliski in Galicia was

spulsed with heavy lossue There was an artillary duct all day on the 22nd inst, near Kimpolunga

Chovina.

BY TELEGRAPH.

(British Foreign Office Telegrams.)

PROTECTION OF HOLY PLACES OF ISLAM.

An Imperial proclamation declaring that the holy places of Islam will be protected by the Allies, and the permission given by the Viceroy allowing foodstuffs to the exported to Fledjaz, have been received with gratitude in India. He presentatives of Jeddah, Lingah, Bahrein, Kowest and Mosul have waited on the Governor of Bombay and earnestly expressed their thanks.

THE PORTUGUESE CABINET RESIGNS.

LONDON, Jan. 25. A telegram from Lisbon says that the Cabinet has resigned,

A Protest From Germany.

A Havas telegram states that the Petrograd correspondent of "The Times" reports that Germany has lodged a protest against Roumania for the mobilization of her Army, adding that she considers this as an hostile act on account of the news being officially unconfirmed.

SECRET DIARY OF EVENTS IN BERLIN.

Remarkable Disclosures

APTHORITIES AT VARIANCE.

Petrograd, Dec. 17. One of the Warsaw papers has commenced the publication of an interesting document which purports to be the diary of Distin, fifteen miles south west of some of the secret political events in Berlin Kommandantspruit, on November 27. Full during the first months of the war. It is particulars are not to hand, but it is believed that the author is a well-known understood that these motor-lorries were believed that the author is a well-known Pole, who was detained in Germany on the outbreak of hostilities, and has spent most of the intermediate time between Berlin and Dresden. It was also suggested that the German military authorities sought to use him as an instrument for fomerting sedition among the Russian Poles, and that hy pretending to fell in with this plan he came into a position to obtain a good deal of confidential information. The local colour, it may be added, is fairly convincing a more rears, and so De Wet's horsemen got colour, it may be added, is fairly convincing | away. to any one who knows Berlin and its

INTERESTING DIALOGUE. The Ministry of Foreign Affairs fully shared this point of view. When the Staff, without waiting for the necessary decision of the dignituries, of the Wilhelmstrasse, staged the attack of Turco-German

ation" by the Foreign (flice.

GENERAL STAFF'S RATORTA The General Staff retorted by the simple method of ordering the confiscation of the

A conference between the editors of the leading Ge-man papers and the representatives of the General Staff and the Foreign Office takes place at ten every morning, in the Reichstag building. At these gatherings the spokesman of the military authorities gives the journalists instructions as to the tone which they must adopt towards the events of the war. It often happens that the Foreign Office re- the capture of De Wet, agree that the protest against these instructions, treason, but they argue that the British the Press should cease the publication die as a traiter would be an act of political In most cases these stories of the shooting rebellion under his leadership." of harmless persons and murders of women | Those Americans who know De Wet seem-to be found on the ceilings of the slways declare he has for years been unquenchably."

not restrict ourselves in the choice of regarded as an act of pusillanimity. means." At this point the Foreign Office representative left the room without saying

Among the military authorities them-

selves there is constant friction and conflict German plan of campaign has been, in the fatal to it. highest degree unsuccessful, and they . A few days ago, in the palace of a former | paid in full in ways which cannot be positively to the evil gresults of the eras given in honour of the ex-Chanceller. In time of peace prepare for war." Now

CAPTURE OF DE WET.

Motor-Cars Co-operate With Horsemen.

A Capetown message to the Daily Telegraph, dated December 3, gives those details of the capture of De Wet : -

of the capture of De Wet, states that forty rabels under Wolmarans interrupted a convoy of nine motor lorries on a farm at

Commandant Marias, of Lydenburg, folpolitical methods.

One of the most interesting passages notwithstanding the heavy sand, and had of the dinry records the alleged serious a skirmish, during which one rebel. Van difference of opinion between the General Rooyen, was wounded. De Wet then Staff and the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, trakked north, and Colonel Brits thereupon as to the utility of dragging Turkey into the war. One of the leading Conservative deputies, addressing a meeting of party of Colonel-Commandant Jordan's commenders, said: "Turk y's entrance into the war threatens a serious complication, not to Englard and France, but to our- mandant Jordan with seventy-five horseselves. With our own hands we are men to follow up and attack De Wet with pushing Italy. Spain, and the Balkan States the utmost despatch, fearing that De Wet into the arms of the Triple Entents." might get out with some of his men via Henningylei.

C'NCONDITIONAL SUSRENDER.

Foreign Affairs: "And we, for our such valuable local information that he interned at Hongkong are only allowed of war if we could have foreseen what commando, which had camped there for the a matter of fact, they are being fed unpleasant surprises your strategy was night. He started an encircling movement better than the Volunteers. It preparing for us. Recent events on the with acircumference of three miles, gradual- also stated in this paper that the British French front do not in any way speak in ly drawing in his men, until he was able to and French in France are retreating all the capture De Wet's horses and about twenty | time, that Paris is being bombarded and to an article in which Maximilan Harden | When De Wet found he was surrounded of their Dreathoughts. The Guild repre-Wilhelmstrasse, with which Harden is at and Captains H. de Jager, Collinan, and statements as otherwise they would. p esent on very intimate terms. In fact | Veld-Cornet Viljoen, as well as all him long before the attack was published, it was men, deserve the highest praise for their known in political circles in Berlin that | conduct. Before the capture at Waterbury Harden was being charged with "inspir- parties of the forces under Colonel Brits's ALLEGED MURDER BY A BEGGAR. command exptured about twenty rebels and horses not included in the capture at Kommandantspruit. 'At Waterbury fifty two prisoners, eighty horses, and thirtyone rifles were taken. Colonel Brits especially praises the

motorcars and their drive s, and says they behaved splendidly, and that De Wet's capture was only possible owing to the motor-cars acting in co-operation with the horsemen. De Wet himself admits that motor-cars finished his horses.

American writers, in commenting upon presentative feels compelled to enter a Boer general deserves death for rank Thue, on one occasion the Foreign can afford to be magnanimous under the Office deputy expressed the wish that circumstances, and that to condemn bim to of the highly-coloured descriptions of folly. "His execution," says the New alleged atrocities committed by the York World, "would be sure to create Russians, Belgians, and French. "Our more hostility among the Boers than he Press," he said. "overdoes the horrors. | was able to arouse by summoning them to

Berlin editorial rooms. The foreign Press mentally unsound, for which reason he was loses faith in the veracity of Berlin news. | easily quiled by Germans, who persuaded We must not have recourse to artificial him to take up arnis in the hope of realisfanning of flames of hatred against our ing the dream of a Duch South Africa. enemies. Without that the fire is barning The comment frequently heard here is, property and cereation of industry, the In answer to this, the representative of was tried by a German court?" Americans the General Staff said: "I sincerely regret are well aware of the circumstances under found, and before many years had passed that I am unable to share the point of view which enemies in German South-West the productive capacity of France had of my respected colleague. Abro d so Africa induced the poor old general, whose much is written of our cruelties that we are faculties have long been decaying, to compelled to pay back in the same coin. A espouse a forlorn cause, and in his case t in guerre, commo a la guerre, and we can- remit the death penalty would not b

of amour propre. Some of the members which then could have been captured at of Germany and Austria-Hungary on the of the General Staff regard Hindenburg as the cost of trifing losses. But Moltke, basis of 1913, and the two nations could a military genius, while others pin their anxious to meet the wishes and dreams of more easily pay it than France could pay faith to his Chief of Staff, Ludendorff. the Emperor and the Crown Prince, direc- 2200,000,000 after 1871. The war, There are many distinguished Staff officers od the German army on to the front of serious enough in all conscience, but in Berlin who consider that the whole the Marne and the Aishe, which proved the cost must not come cot of the

ascribe the failute ever more and more director of the Deutsche Bank, a binquet reckoned in E's. d. It used to be said, Megalumania of the Emperor William and Prince Bulow. The company included the it may with equal truly be urged. "In the Crown Prince who are blinded by leading lights, of diplomacy and society. time of war prepare for pence," for there is visions of entering Paris at the head of a The Prince said practically nothing during a glorious time in the meat future for In the first days, of the war Gen rale in what mood he had found the Emperor, which the printing trade will enjoy a Tel, NO. 135 Kluck and Heeringen pointed out the and at last replied : " Der Kaiser ist sehr not insignificant siture.-Printer's En advantages of a campaign against Calair, crust and ganz ergrant." -- Daily Telegraph. | gineor.

TELEGRAPH.

(Router's Service to the China Mail.)

NEW CHIEF LIBERAL WHIP.

LONDON, Jan. 25.

Mr. J W. Gulland, M.P., a junior Lord of the Treasury, has been appointed to succeed the late Mr. P. H. Illingworth as Chief Ministerialist Whip,

[Mr. Gullard in M. P. for Dumfries, which constituency he has represented since 1006. He was a well-known mer chant of Edinburgh and a director of the Edinburgh Chamber of Commerce. He became lecturer on the Practice of Commerce in Heriot Wart College, Edinburgh, and also a member of the School Board and Town Council of the Scottish capital .- En.

(Wah Tes Yat Po's Service.) MAGISTRATES TO INSPECT.

Peking, Jan. 25.

The Central Government has or dered that all nugistrates throughout the country shall visit the principal markets and villages in their districts monthly in order to see that order is being maintained.

FORGIVENESS FOR REBELS.

The Government announces that Colonel Brits, giving further particulars rebels who call personally to express their repentance will be pardoned, but letters cannot be regarded.

FOREIGNERS AND STAMP DUTY.

.The Diplomatic Body in the capital has agreed to the use by foreigners of the Chinese duty stamps.

NEWS FROM THE FAR BAST.

The Secretary of the Imperial Service Guild, Liverpool, sends us the following:-The Imperial Merchant Service Guild are informed by their representative at Canton that he has drawn attention there to the fact that although all the Germans and Austrians have been expelled at Hongkong yet a large number of them remained in the Chinese Maritime Customs, and in the course of their duties boarded British ships in Chinese ports. It is understood that the Government on the spot have taken the necessary steps in dealing with this matter. At Shameen, which is contiguous to Canton, being a Concession, the British Government had no power to expel them from there but This it has now been ascertained was the Guild representative spread the story actually De Wet's intention, but Colonel about that 150 Volunteers from Hongkong Brita sent Lieutenant-Calonel Sweimmer were on the way to arrest the Germans or with five cars to obtain possession of the Austrians remaining there with the staged the attack of Inter-German with the tars to distribute the following dialogue took place after a very trying trek across the desert. It is that they all cleared out into Chibetween the representatives of the two Colonel Brits rwaited the petrol supplies at their representative that the German Morokwen, and when they arrived im. Consulate at Shameen has purchased a General Staff: "Your entire policy is mediately followed Colonel-Commandant Canton Native paper and is publishing in chiefly remarkable for its irrevolution and Jordson, who had in the meantime come up it the most scurrilous articles concerning ignorance. If we could have foreseen this to De Wet on the farm at Waterbury. the British, stating amongst other things we would not have brought the war about." Colonel Commandant Jordsan had obtained | that the German prisoners of war who are part, would not have allowed the outbreak was able to surround De Wet and his three cents a day for food, when, as The author of the diary goes on to refer men who were undoing the horses hobbles. that the British have lost a great number attacked the General Staff, accusing it of and there was no escape, he surrendered sentative reports, however, that owing to banding all the nations together against ununditionally. Colonel-Commandant Jor- the fact that Germans and Austrians have Germany by its policy. This article, he dann states that all his officers, including all closed up business the Chinese are not affirms, was not unexpected in the Commandants Hamman and Bazelden, attaching as much importance to these

A" Chinese mendicant, aged 65 years, was committed for trial in Mr. Wood's Court this afternoon, on a charge of murdering another beggar.

It was alleged by the prosecution that prisoner killed the other man in a quarrel, smashing in his head with a piece of iron piping. All the witnesses called were mendicants and in some cases they were totally blind.

THE COST OF THE WAR.

The cost of the war to England alone. reckoned at over £1,000,000 per day, simply tremendous, and it has been estimated that the very least it must total £600,000,000, and possibly twice that sum. But there is no reason to be appalled even at the larger sum. The national income last year was £2,100,000,000, and in 1903 £1.700,000, 00, showing a gain of £400,000,000 in eleven years. Recovery. from war is usually a rapid process. The Pranco-German war of 1870 I lasted about nine mouth. In addition to damage to "What fate would have attended the Germans imposed an indemnity of veteran general if he had rebelled against 2200,000,000. It would be idle to minimise German authority, and, being captured, the severity of the blow, but the fact remains that the indemnity was reddily increased beyond the ante-war level. Cur South African war, which cost, roughly, £225,000,000, Ushered in a period of upparalleled prosperity. WHO MUST MEET IT.

Germany and Austria must pay for the prevent war and even if the cost to the Allies be as much as £2,000,000,000, that sum is far less than one year's income pockets of the British tax-myer. He has dinner. He was, however, pressed to state the commerce of the British Empire. in

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Other Vessels.

The s.s. Units sailed from Calcutta on the 8th January; and may be expected here on or about the 29th January, The E. & A. s.s. Aldenham from Sydney, 25th January, and may be expected to 28th January.

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Hengkong, Jan. 28, 1915,

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> F. A. AGLEN. Inspector General of Customs, and Vice Chairman of the Bureau of National Loans. .

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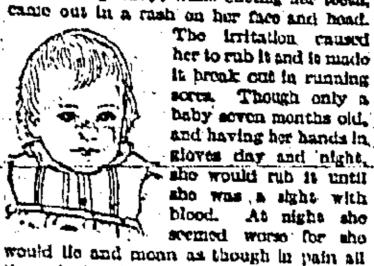
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When Seven Months Old, Had Hands In Gloves Day and Night. Worse at Night. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment No Sign of Eczema.

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Thoss. Manelaus, with the Mails from Europe via Negapatam, is due to arri here to day.

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WEATHER REPORT.

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明は、中国と、大田という Moderate to light easterly winds will provail over the north part of the China

Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon on the 27th. 1.-Hongkong and Neighbourhood

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resh, moderate.

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EXCHANGE. Hongkong, January 26, 1915. On London-Bank Wire On demand. 30 days' sight 1/- 9 ., 4 month' sight Credita 4 mouths night, Documentary, 4 months' sight 17-10 On Paris-On demand. Credits, 4 months' sight, On Barlin— On demand On New York-On demand. Credits, 60 days' sight, On Bombay-Wire On demand On Calcutta-Wire, ... On demand On Singapore-On demand. On Manila-On demand On Shanghal— On demand. 30 days' sight (private paper)... On Yokohama-On demand. Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per tael) ...\$57.70 Sovereigns (Banks' Ruying rate)\$11.10 Silver (per on.) Bar Ellrer in Hongkong. ... 4 % press. Chinese Copper Cash Ohinese Copper Cents ... 7 % dis.

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